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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
Larned, Kansas, June 16, 1879.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: Samuel C. Marshall, (Homestead application No. 1699) for the Southwest quarter of Sec. 24, Twp. 26, R. 25 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: A. H. Boyd and A. J. Penock, of Ford county, Kansas.
C. A. MORRIS, Register.

CLARK & MULLER,
REAL ESTATE AGENTS,
SPRINGVILLE, KANSAS.
Locate Lands under the Homestead, Pre-emption and Timber Culture Acts.

REPORT OF THE DODGE CITY SCHOOLS.

For the month ending June 13th, 1879:

HIGH SCHOOL.

We also publish the September report—desiring to show the progress the pupils have made during the school year.

	1st mo. 9 mo.
No. of pupils in attendance this mo.	33
No. of pupils withdrawn	0
No. new belonging	31
Total attendance in days	440
Average daily attendance	22
No. of cases of tardiness	14
No. of pupils neither absent nor tardy ..	1
Dependent	40
Average scholarship	70
No. of visitors	10
Whole No. of pupils in attendance during the year	140

We will publish no report of the Primary as it has only been in session eight days during this month.

L. H. ROBERTS, Principal.

LOCAL NEWS.

WHEAT PROSPECTS.

The reports received at Washington show the average condition of winter wheat for June is 90 per cent. against 98 last year. The acreage of spring wheat sown is about 4 per cent. increase over last year.

RAINS SOUTH.

Messrs. Jesse Evans and Littlefield returned from the south Monday evening. They report an abundance of rain on the Palo Duro and Cimarron rivers, and grass in excellent condition. The stock are doing well.

WORK COMMENCED.

Work was commenced last Friday on the grading of the St. Louis, Wichita & Western road, which is to run from Oswego, Kansas, to Wichita, and will be operated as a branch of the St. Louis and San Francisco. The work commenced at Oswego, and will be pushed rapidly forward, so that track-laying may be inaugurated in the near future.

MONTE MEN SHOT AT.

Two monte men, of Denver, got off of the west bound train Monday morning, and while they were standing opposite the track near the tank, a passenger on the train stepped to the platform and fired three pistol shots at the slippery jacks. One of the men in his retreat stumbled over a rock which struck his confederate on the shins. Both men put to flight, but neither were hit. They stated that they had fleeced the passenger out of a sum of money, which was the cause of the shooting.

Monte men are now practicing their games on the railroads, and it would be well for suckers to be on the look out, and especially to avoid sleek looking individuals who make friendship upon short acquaintance. Notwithstanding the warning daily given, there is a class of gullible people who believe they can beat somebody at his own game; but they are invariably taken in and done for, and after all are but little wiser than before, being always the prey for the wily card manipulator.

DODGE CITY FLOURING MILL.

Friday last, the proprietors of the Dodge City Flouring Mills invited the citizens of Dodge City to witness the operation of the mill. Quite a number visited there, and at six o'clock, a large crowd had congregated. The Dodge City Silver Cornet Band enlivened the occasion with some of its splendid music. Speeches were made by several citizens, congratulating the proprietors of the mill upon the success of their enterprise. It was an occasion in which mutual feelings were interchanged, for the mill is considered a valuable adjunct to the business and enterprise of the city.

We examined the mill thoroughly and find it has all the modern improvements in machinery and appliances for the manufacture of superior grades of flour. It grinds both wheat and corn, and has a capacity of manufacturing thirty-five barrels per each twelve hours.

We congratulate the mill enterprise upon its successful send-off. We regard the mill in a business point of view as a valuable auxiliary to the trade of our growing city, and a business that will timely draw a large trade to the city.

A most cordial feeling has sprung up between the mill owners and operators and the citizens of Dodge City, which insures a happy co-operation of interests.

Messrs. May & Co., have gratifying assurances that their mill will be a success, for the opening is a grand one.

The happy throng that gathered at the mill, to pay their respects to the proprietors and operators, were treated to a bountiful supply of Anheuser beer and choice cigars. The health and success of the mill men were repeatedly drunk in the quaffing of the foaming beer and the puffing of the delightful cigar.

Reimsnyder living 5 miles north of Hays, planted a number of cherry-trees on the 17th of April last. On the 6th of June Henry enjoyed a feast of cherries from these trees, and brought some to town, which are fine in quality and flavor.—Hays Sentinel.

There was a fine shower of rain Monday night. It had been preceded by several sprinkles.

Two men were sentenced last week to be hung for murder committed in the Indian Territory.

The report that the grasshoppers have made their appearance in Nebraska, is a mistake, caused by the appearance of the seventeen-year locusts, but are doing no damage to crops.

Col. H. A. Hambright received quite an ovation by his numerous friends, shortly after his arrival at Lancaster, Pa., his former home. The Lancaster New Era contains a letter, signed by a number of prominent citizens, who welcome the gallant soldier upon his arrival there.

The saloon keepers of Great Bend, says the Tribune, now ask how you will take your "lightning," with or without hail; or will you have a cyclone prepared in a funnel shaped tin arrangement; or a tornado, festooned with snakes, or a Kansas zephyr sprinkled with sand? If you are very drouthy they give you what they call "sweet rapose." One drink of this gives you 50 bushels of wheat per acre.

Mr. Sherman went to Dodge City Thursday and by dark had arrested W. H. Leach accused of the larceny of goods from his stock during the late fire to the amount of about \$50. Mr. Sherman has been tracing the matter carefully, and thinks there is no doubt but that he has his man. He brought him in on the four o'clock train yesterday. He will be examined to-day.—Kinsley Republican.

A great many of the farmers in this Co. are now engaged in their wheat harvest, and from what we have been able to learn by diligent inquiry, and what little we know of our own observation, we find the crop will run all the way from nothing up to 10 bushels per acre, some think they will get as high as fifteen. We have seen considerable wheat in our time and we think that there is not a piece of wheat in Edwards county to-day that will average 15 bushels per acre.—Kinsley Republican.

THE NEWSPAPER.

And the community expects a newspaper to credit every body wider and longer, get oftener cheated and swindled and suffer more pecuniary loss, and oftener the victim of misplaced confidence, than any other calling in the community. We have often thought that people pay a bill to a newspaper more reluctantly than any other. It cuts their very soul to pay five dollars for newspaper work, but they will cheerfully throw away ten dollars on a needless gewgaw. But everybody is eager to avail himself of the services of the editor and the ink of the printer. How many men are holding fat offices, how many professional and political reputations and fortunes have been created and sustained by the friendly though unrequited pen of the editor? How many struggling towns and cities have been brought to the notice of the public and written into notoriety and prosperity by the newspaper? How many railroads that are now in successful operation would have floundered and foundered and sunk from sight and memory but for the newspaper? Where is a branch of industry or activity that has not been promoted, stimulated and defended by the press?—St. Joseph (Mo.) Gazette.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT.

The Rochester, New York, Daily Democrat has the following to say regarding the minstrel company which will appear at the new Opera House in this city on Monday, June 23d: "As we had anticipated, every seat in the opera house was occupied last evening and a most cordial welcome extended to the minstrel company, which established itself as a favorite in Rochester upon its first appearance a few months ago. Since then the improvement in many respects has been very marked, and we believe that it stands to-day in the very front rank of minstrelsy. The four men who give the company its name are known all over the country, and Barlow, Wilson, Primrose and West, means the best end men and the best dancers the profession affords. The programme last evening was replete with new features, abandoning almost entirely the old conventionalities of the minstrel stage, and launching out into a field of originality, which was more than refreshing to those who have been compelled to hear and see the same old burnt cork story repeated again and again with scarcely a variation. Both songs and jokes were new and not only new but good, a result which is not always attained in striking out for fresh attractions. Both the opening and close of the first part were entirely new, and indeed that describes the whole programme. Tickets for sale at Connor's store."